



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**IN RE**

**APPLICATION OF:** Noda et al.

**SERIAL NO.:** 10/060,736

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**FOR:** LOW-PROFILE RECEPTACLE  
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**EXAMINER:** E. Leon

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**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Fee Amendment  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 7, 2003, the period in which to respond has been extended to and including January 7, 2004, by the accompanying Petition for a Retroactive Two-Month Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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